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In re application of:

Elizabeth Esther Mary Bates *et al.*

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ISOLATED MAMMALIAN
DENDRITIC CELL GENES;
RELATED REAGENTS

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Kenilworth, NJ 07033
September 16, 2003

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Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2003 in the above-referenced application, having a shortened statutory period set to expire September 17, 2003.

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